AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

Kindly amend the claims, without prejudice, without admission, without surrender of subject matter, and without any intention of creating any estoppel as to equivalents, as follows:

In the claims:

1. (Currently amended) A method of communication between a command transmitter ~~(20)~~ and a bi-directional command transmitter-receiver ~~(10)~~ that ~~are~~ is intended for the control of elements ~~(14)~~ ensuring the security and/or comfort of a building, the method comprising:

~~the communication of~~ communicating control commands from the command transmitter ~~(20)~~ to the command transmitter-receiver ~~(10)~~ or from the transmitter-receiver ~~(10)~~ to other elements~~, being done~~ by way of frequency-modulated RF signals~~, wherein,~~ ;and

activating and interrupting successively using the command transmitter-receiver, in a programming mode, ~~the command transmitter-receiver (10) activates and interrupts successively~~ the transmission of electric signals normally used for communication by frequency modulation, so as to send information to the command transmitter ~~(20)~~ by way of amplitude-modulated RF signals.

2. (Currently amended) The method of communication as claimed in claim 1, wherein the information sent to the command transmitter ~~(20)~~ ~~is~~ comprises a series of transmissions and ~~of~~ interruptions of ~~transmissions of~~ a transmitted carrier that ~~are~~ is ~~carried out~~ sent by a means ~~of transmissions~~ for transmission ~~(121E, 122E)~~ of frequency-modulated RF signals ~~of~~ associated with the command transmitter-receiver.

3. (Currently amended) The method of communication as claimed in claim 1, wherein the sent information comprises an identification code.

4. (Currently amended) A transmitter-receiver ~~(10)~~ of commands in communication with a command transmitter ~~consisting of frequency-modulated RF signals~~, the transmitter-receiver comprising:

an antenna ~~(11) linked to:~~ ;

means ~~of~~ for reception ~~(121R, 122R)~~ of frequency-modulated RF signals, wherein the means for reception is coupled to the antenna~~, and to~~ ;

means ~~of~~ for transmission ~~(121E, 122E)~~ of frequency-modulated RF signals, wherein the means for transmission is coupled to the antenna and comprises means for activating and disabling, in a programming mode, the means for transmission so that the transmission of electric signals normally used for communication by frequency modulation is used to send information to the command transmitter by way of amplitude-modulated RF signals ~~which comprises means (13, 130) of activation and of disabling of the means of transmission (121E, 122E) for the implementation of the method as claimed in claim 1~~.

5. (Currently amended) The transmitter-receiver ~~(10)~~ of commands as claimed in claim 4, wherein the means for transmission comprises an amplifying circuit, and wherein the means ~~(13, 130) of activation and of disabling allow~~ for activating and disabling (13, 130) provides the activation and disabling of ~~an~~ the amplifying circuit ~~(121E) of the transmission means~~.

6. (Currently amended) The transmitter-receiver ~~(10)~~ of commands as claimed in claim 5, wherein the means ~~(13, 130) of~~ for ~~activation~~ activating and ~~of~~ disabling of the amplifying circuit ~~(121E) comprise~~ comprises a logic processing unit ~~(13)~~ and a control circuit ~~(130)~~.

7. (Currently amended) The transmitter-receiver ~~(10)~~ of commands as claimed in claim 5, wherein the means ~~(13, 130) of~~ for ~~activation~~ activating and of disabling comprise means ~~(130)~~ of control of the power supply of the amplifying circuit ~~(121E)~~.

8. (Currently amended) An installation comprising:

at least one command transmitter-receiver ~~(10) as claimed in claim 4 and~~ comprising:

an antenna;

means for reception of frequency-modulated RF signals, wherein the means for reception is coupled to the antenna; and

means for transmission of frequency-modulated RF signals, wherein the means for transmission is coupled to the antenna and comprises means for activating and disabling, in a programming mode, the means for transmission so that the transmission of electric signals normally used for communication by frequency modulation is used to send information to the command transmitter by way of amplitude-modulated RF signals; and

at least one command transmitter ~~(20)~~ furnished with means ~~(22)~~ for transmitting frequency-modulated RF signals and with means ~~(210)~~ for receiving amplitude-modulated RF signals.